States, to address the lack of uniformity and reciprocity in credentialing of teachers and other personnel:

- (f) Enhance the ability of teachers and others to use strategies, such as behavioral interventions, to address the conduct of children with disabilities that impedes the learning of children with disabilities and others;
- (g) Acquire and disseminate, to teachers, administrators, school board members, and related services personnel, significant knowledge derived from educational research and other sources, and how the State will, if appropriate, adopt promising practices, materials, and technology;
- (h) Recruit, prepare, and retain qualified personnel, including personnel with disabilities and personnel from groups that are under-represented in the fields of regular education, special education, and related services;
- (i) Insure that the plan is integrated, to the maximum extent possible, with other professional development plans and activities, including plans and activities developed and carried out under other Federal and State laws that address personnel recruitment and training; and
- (j) Provide for the joint training of parents and special education, related services, and general education personnel.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1453 (c)(3)(D))

§§ 300.383-300.387 [Reserved]

Subpart D—Children in Private Schools

CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES IN PRIVATE SCHOOLS PLACED OR REFERRED BY PUBLIC AGENCIES

§ 300.400 Applicability of §§ 300.400–300.402.

Sections 300.401–300.402 apply only to children with disabilities who are or have been placed in or referred to a private school or facility by a public agency as a means of providing special education and related services.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1412(a)(10)(B))

§ 300.401 Responsibility of State educational agency.

Each SEA shall ensure that a child with a disability who is placed in or referred to a private school or facility by a public agency—

- (a) Is provided special education and related services— $\,$
- (1) In conformance with an IEP that meets the requirements of §§ 300.340–300.350; and
 - (2) At no cost to the parents;
- (b) Is provided an education that meets the standards that apply to education provided by the SEA and LEAs (including the requirements of this part); and
- (c) Has all of the rights of a child with a disability who is served by a public agency.

 $(Authority: 20\ U.S.C.\ 1412(a)(10)(B))$

§ 300.402 Implementation by State educational agency.

In implementing \$300.401, the SEA shall—

- (a) Monitor compliance through procedures such as written reports, on-site visits, and parent questionnaires;
- (b) Disseminate copies of applicable standards to each private school and facility to which a public agency has referred or placed a child with a disability; and
- (c) Provide an opportunity for those private schools and facilities to participate in the development and revision of State standards that apply to

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1412(a)(10)(B))

CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES ENROLLED BY THEIR PARENTS IN PRIVATE SCHOOLS WHEN FAPE IS AT ISSUE

§ 300.403 Placement of children by parents if FAPE is at issue.

(a) General. This part does not require an LEA to pay for the cost of education, including special education and related services, of a child with a disability at a private school or facility if that agency made FAPE available to the child and the parents elected to place the child in a private school or facility. However, the public agency